UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

CIVIL ACTION NO. 04-cv-10291-RWZ

JOHN F. RICHARDS,

Plaintiff,

v.

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, ET AL.,

Defendants.

DEFENDANT DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, KATHLEEN DENNEHY AND CAROL MICI'S MOTION TO DISMISS AND/OR MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

Defendants Massachusetts Department of Correction, Kathleen Dennehy and Carol Mici, for the reasons set forth in the accompanying memorandum of law and exhibits, hereby move to dismiss plaintiff's Complaint pursuant to Fed. R.Civ.P. 12(b)(6). In the alternative, the aforesaid defendants move that summary judgment enter in their favor as provided by Fed.R.Civ.P. 56.

Dated: April 10, 2004

Respectfully submitted.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this date a true copy of the above document was served on all parties of record via first class mail.

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